THE Undersigned. J. M. ARMSTRON G. will Soll by Public Auction,

THIS DAY,

the 27th day of October, 1888, at 4 30 P.M., of the Premises, by Order of the representative of the Mortgages.

that VALUABLE LEASEHOLD

PROPERTY Situate at the Peak to the

East of and near the Peak Church, Regis-

HONGRONG, SATULDAY, COTUBER 2711, 1888

NOTICES TO CONSIGNEES

TOCONSIGNEESOF OPTIONAL CARGO

EX 0. S.S. CO/S S.S. " LAERTES,"

FROM LIVERPOOL.

SHIPPING Orders must be obtained from the Undersigned not later than the 29th inst.

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.

for shipment per steamer "BELLEROPHON."

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

Hongkong, 23rd October, 1888.

ONSIGNEES per Company's Steamer LAERTES." tered in the Land Office as RUBAL BUILDING LOT. No. 9, 25th, General.—Douglas LAPRAIK & Co. Of the three largest life insurance companies Plan of the Theatre can be seen and Tickets Police Magistrate. are hereby notified that the Cargo is being dis-Prospectuses containing the new and Reduced October 26, Kwang-lee, Chinese steamer, 1,508, IN ONE LOT, in the world, the ratio of Death Losses to (1) charged into Craft, and/or landed at the bad at Messrs. Kelly & Walsh's. The GROUND is as follows:-For the Police Magistrates. Rates; Forms of Proposals, &c., may be obtained Andrews, Whampon 26th October, General. Premia, (2) to Interest, and (3) to Insurance in Abutting on the North side on Wount Gough Gedowns of the Undersigned; in both cases it Magistracy. on application to the Force, in 1887, was lowest in the New York -C. M. S. N. Co. ADM188ION:--Road and measuring thereon 330 feet or Hongkong, 25th October, 1888. will lie at Consignees' risk. The Cargo will be BORNEO COMPANY, LIMITEI LIFE, whilst Interest receipts, since 1845, Dress Circle & Stalls......\$2. thereabouts, on the South side on Ground ready for delivery from Craft or Godown on October 26, Changsha, British steamer, 1,489, have exceeded losses by death by over £600,000, Agents Hongkong. Pit 1 SECOND AUCTION now or lately in the possession of Govern- and after the 24th instant. I. Williams, Iloilo 21st October, General. showing careful selection of lives and careful BREWER IS NOW SHEWING ment and measuring thereon 520 feet or Goods undolivered after the 31st inst., will thereabouts, on the East side on Ground new be subject to Rent. All damaged Goods must Back Seats 0.50 BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE. investment of money. BIRLEY, DALRYMPLE & Co., Doors open at 8.30, to commence at 9 P.M. October 26, GENERAL WERDER, German str. or lately in the possission of Government be left in the Godowns where they will be ex-MANY NOVELTIES IN Agenta Hongkong. DISCARDED GOODS. 1,820, W. v. Schuckmann, Nagasaki 22ud and measuring thereon 312 feet or there- amined at 11 A.M., 31st inst. Hongkong, 3rd July, 1888. Hong kong 23rd October, 1888. October, Mails and General: MELOHERS & CHRISTMAS & NEW YEARS CARDS BUTTERFIELD & SWIKE, Agents. abouts, and on the West side on ground now or lately in the possession of Government Hongkong, 23rd October, 1888. CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE FROM . Consisting of BANKS. and measuring thereon 322 feet or there-"GLEN" LINE OF STEAM PACKETS. LIMITED. October 26, H. G. Johnson, Amr. bark, 1,027 ROSE & Co's STOCK. abouts be all the said several admeasurements 'A Series of Hand Painted Cards on Satio Colby, Kelung 23rd October, Coal.—Ruslittle more or less which said Piece or Parcel FROM ANTWERP, LONDON, PENANG, NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. THE NEW ORIENTAL BANK illustrative of Chinese and Japanese Life SELL & Co. of Ground contains in the whole 111,140 AND SINGAPORE CORPORATION, LIMITED. THE SEVENTH ORDINARY GEquare feet or thereabouts. TITE Steamship October 26. Kutsang. British steamer, 1,498. beautifully painted, and with appropriate NERAL MEETING OF SHARE. AUTHORISED CAPITAL£2,000,000 It is held for the residue of a term of 75 years Slessar, Whampon 26th October, General. HOLDERS will be held at the Office of the PAID UP 2 500,000 commencing from the 17th March, 1879, at the GLENORCHY, WILL SELL BY Undersigned at 12 o'crock (Noon), TO--JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. having arrived from the above ports. Consignees Designs of Jinrickshaws, Junks, Sampans, very low Annual Crown Kent of \$38.26. Registered Office, 40, THREADNEEDLE STREET, PUBLIC AUCTION, DAY, the 27th October instant. The above Property offers exceptional facili. of Cargo by her are hereby informed that their with Mottoes. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company ties, for the erection of Several Bungalows or goods are being landed at their risk into the TULBARANCÉS. Skeleton Leaves of China, hand painted and will be CLOSED from the 13th to the 27th semi-detached Houses, which would be well godowns of the Honekone and Kowloon BRANCHES IN INDIA, CHINA, JAPAN 19 THE HANGOUR MASTER'S OFFICE. instant, both days inclusive. MONDAY NEXT, WHARF AND GODOWN COMPANY, LIMITED, protected from the N.E. winds. 26TH OCTOBER AND THE COLONIES. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Plans can be seen at the Offices of Mesers. AT KOWLOON, whence delivery may be obtained. Pidgin English Sing Song Cards in a New 29th October, 1888, at 2 P.M., at their Auction Deuteros, German str., for Singapore. Optional cargo will be forwarded unless notice General Agents. THE BANK receives money on Deposit, BIRD & PALMER. CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, LIMITED. Yangteze, Gorman str., for Ningpo. Buys and Sells Bills of Exchange, issues For further Particulars, apply to to the contrary be given before NOON, TO-Rooms, Queen's Read, LA Great Variety of Novelties in American Hongkong, 9th October, 1888. Letters of Credit, forwards Bills for Collection, SHARP, JOHNSON, & STOKES, DAY. Anton, German str., for Hoihow. Cargo remaining undelivered after the 30th and Continental Cards. DISCARDED and Transacts Banking and Agency Business Supreme Court House; Glenorchy, British str., for Shanghai. HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE instant, will be subject to rent. generally on terms to be had on application. MESSRS. BIRD & PALMER COMPANY, LIMITED. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Con-LETT'S DIARIES, 1889. · Architects, &c.; · DEPARTURES. NORTH CHINA DATE BLOCKS. Interest allowed on Deposits:signees are also requested to present all claims ADJUSTMENT OF BONUS FOR THE SUNDRIES. Fixed for 12 months, 5 per Cent. per Annum. J. M. ARMSTRONG. for damages and/or shortages not later than the WALTER W. BREWER, October 26, HAITAN, British str., for Swatow. YEAR 1887. Fixed for 6 months, 4 per Cent. per Annum. 5th Nov., otherwise they will not be recog-UNDER HONGRONG HOTEL October 26. HEVEP, German str., for New- 271 Fixed for 3 months, 3 per Cent. per Annum. CHAREHOLDERS in the above Company Hongkong, 19th October, 1888. 1952 nized. On view, morning of Sale. & WALSH, LIMITED. On Current Deposit Accounts 2 per Cent. per are requested to furnish the under-igned T ELLY Bills of Lading will be countersigned by " PUBLIC AUCTION: October 26. Laertes. British str., for Nagasaki. Annum on the daily balance. JARDINE MATHESON & Co. with a List of their Contributions for the CHRISTMAS & NEW YEAR'S CARDS October 26, PALAMED. Brit. str., for Shanghai. year ending 31st December last, in order that TERMS AS USUAL -Cash on delivery. Agents. APPROVED CLAIMS on the ORIENTAL FITHE Undersigned has received instructions Hongkong, 23rd October, 1888. -Chinese Water Colour Panel Cards beautifully October 26, DEUTEROS, Ger. str., for Singapore. the DISTRIBUTION OF THE PROFITS reserved BANK CORPORATION, in Liquidation, or the from H. M. NAVAL STOREKEEPER, to Sell for Contributors may be arranged. Returns not FROM HAMBURG, PENANG, AND October 26, Independent, German steamer, for painted, "Chisai" Japanese Kakimonos in BALANCES of such Claims purchased on by Public Auction, on rendered prior to the 80th day of November SINGAPORE. native box with suitable Greetings, Japanese advantageous terms. Swatow. Auctioneers, &c. next, will be adjusted by the Company, and no °WEDNESDAY. Agency of the NATIONAL LIFE ASSURANCE INHE Steamship October 26, WESTMEATH. British str., for San | Hand Painted Christmas Cards, Local Views in the 31st October, 1888, at Noon, at H. M. Claims or Alterations will be subsequently Hongkong, 27th October, 1:88 Groups and Single Subjects arranged as Xmas NAVAL YARD Francisco. E. W. RUTTER. CITY HALL SUNDRY NAVAL & VICTUALLING Captain Pfaff, having arrived from the above JARDINE. MATHESON & Co., Cards, and the very best Productions of the best Ostober 26, YANGTEZE, Ger. str., for Ningpo. Manager, Hongkong Branch. CONDEMNED STORES, General Managers. Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested NOTICE English Makers in the newest designs. Our Hongkong, 12th March, 1887. October 25, ANADYR, French str., for Shangbai. Hongkong Fire Insurance Company, Ltd. Comprising :-OLD IRON, PAPER, STUFF, HOSES, to send in their Bills of Lading for countersig-Stock of Prang's High Class American Cards T TONGKONG&SHANGHAIBANKING Hungkong, 16th October, 1888. nature by the Undersigned and to take immediate CLOCKS, LAMPS, PROVISIONS CLOTH will arrive about the 1st November, fully three CORPORATION PASSENGERS. delivery of their goods from alongside. FOR SALE. ING. EMPTY PACKING CASES, and Any Cargo impeding her discharge will be weeks before the latest mail date to reach home WHOLESALE AND RETAIL. IMPLEMENTS. landed into the Godowas of the Kowloon Pier Per Decima, str., from Bangkok.—5 Chinese. for Christmas. and Godown Co. and stored at Consignoes' risk Porcelain Panel Photographs of Ellen Terry TATERBURY, WATCHES, Per Fokien, str., from Tamsui &c .- Mr. Greig. RESERVE LIABILITY OF PROPRIETORS 7,500,000 TERMS OF SALE.—As Customary. day of October instant. as Portia, Mary Anderson, Miss Millett, Mary and 8 Chinese. $oldsymbol{J}_{i}$ M. ARMSTRON G H. L. DENNYS: Per Changsha, str., from Iloilo.-Mrs. and No Claims will be admitted after the Goods THE HANDIEST, CHEAPEST, & BEST TIME-Moore, and other celebrated Beauties and Govt. Auctioneer. COURT OF DIRECTORS:have left the Godowns and all Goods remaining two Misses Seabright, Mr. and Mrs. Carson, Mrs. TREPERS INVENTED Hongkong, 26th October, 1888. Hon. JOHN BELL-IRVING-Chairman. Hongkong, 27th October, 1888. undelivered after the 27th inst., will be subject PRICE THREE DOLLARS ELACH \$3 H. Bliss, Rev. Principal Grant, and Miss Timms. Actresses. Automatic Copying and Lead Pencils. W. H. FORBES, Esq.—Deputy Chairman. Per General Werder, str., from Nagasaki.-8. C. Michaelsen, Esq. IN THE SUPREME COURT OF C. D. Bottomley, Esq. W. G. Brodie, Esq. H. L. Dalrymple, Esq. REPAIRS NEVER EXCEED 50 CENTS FOR PROSPECTUS. All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to For Hongkong .- Mr. and Mrs. Beltigen, Messrs. Quackenbosh's Spring Gans, with slugs, S. Moscs, Esq. EACH WATCH. HONGKONG be left in the Godowns, where they will be Taylor, Phillips, and A. Mani. For Singapore. L Posanscker, Esq. THE MITSUI BUSSAN KAISHIA CINGAPORE HOTEL COMPANY, LD. darts and spare Springs. examined on the 27th inst., at 4 P.M. -Messrs. Losen and Ingarashi. For Genoa.-N A. Siebs, Esq. J. F. Holliday, Esq. Photogravures from the most celebrated Mo-IN BANKRUPTCY. (Sole Agents in Japan & China No Fire Insurance has been effected. E. A. Solomon, Esq. Miss E. Wiegert. For Bremen.-Mrs. Tripler Hon. B. Layton, for the Sale of the above Watches) dern Pictures, framed and unframed. SIEMSSEN & Co., and 3 children, Mr. A. Kroger and 3 children, CHIEF MANAGEL. 10. Queen's Road Central. Hongkong-Thomas Jackson, Esq. Messrs. C. Bornemann and S. Sovets. Just Published, price, 75 Cents: INCORPORATED UNDER THE " INDIAN Opposite Marine House Hongkong, 20th October, 1888. Per H. G. Johnson, bark, from Kelung. - Mrs. How to WRITE THE RADICALS, being an COMPANIES' ACT, 1866." Hongkong, 30th August, 1888. Shanghai-Ewen Cameron, Esq. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. Colby and family. introductory method to writing Chinese, by J LONDON BANKERS-LONDON & COUNTY BANK. KALYDOR Clerk having been adjudicated Bankrupt under JAPITAL: \$750.0:0 (with power to increase) TDOWLANDS' Dver Ball. Per Anadyr, str., from Hongkong.-For cools and refreshes the face and hands of KELLY & WALSH, LD., HONGKONG S. S. "PATHAN," divided into 7,500 shares of \$100 each, Shanghai -Mr. and Mrs. Humphreys, Messre. 26 HONGKONG-INTEREST ALLOWED. all exposed to the hot sun and dust, eradicates | Conrt of Hongkong in Bankuptoy, on the 22nd payable as follows:-FROW GLASGOW, LIVERPOOL, PEfreekles, sunburn, tan, &c., and produces a day of October, 1888, is hereby required to On Current Deposit Account at the rate of Gomes, Figueiredo, Piry, Ezekiel, C. S. Perry, NANG. AND SINGAPORE. \$20 ON APPLICATION. \$20 ON ALLOTMENT. 2 per cent, per Annum on the daily balance. NONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby in beautiful and delicate complexion. Gubbay, Gamble, and S. D. Piry. For Kobe. THE Enther Calls not exceeding \$20 each, to be made On Fixed Deposits:----Mr. Kowara. For Shanghai.--From Mar-seilles.--Mrs. Verhacghe de Mayer, Mr. and ROWLANDS' ODONTO formed that all goods are being lauded their risk, into the Godowns of the Kowloon whitens the teeth, prevents decay, and gives a the FIRST MEETING of CREDITORS to at intervals of not less than three months. For 3 months 3 per Cent. per Annum. For 6 months 4 per Cent. per Annum. (It is not expected that more than \$55 per Mrs. J. Ballard and child, Sisters de Bereau, Wharf and Godown Company at Kowloon, pleasing fragrance to the breath. CO-OPERATIVE For 12 months 5 per Cent. per Annum. Le Belle, Booch, and Laurent, Revs. D. Leeshare will be called up before ROWLANDS' MACASSAR OIL whence and/or from the wharves delivery may LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED. sens, R. de Smet, and J. Stragier, Miss Straatthe end of 1889.) preserves and beautifies the hair, and can be of THE O'CLOCK IN THE FORENCON. COMPANY, LIMITED. be obtained. CEEDITE granted on approved Securities, and mann, Messrs. Schurch and Biseul. From Sin-Optional cargo will be forwarded unless notice also had in a golden colour. every description of Banking and Exchange If no allotment be made, the deposit will be gapore.-Mr. de Verhacghe de Mayer | Belgian | to the contrary be given before NOON, TO-DAY. Sizes 3/6: 7/-: 10/6. Minister), and Mr. England. From Saigon. 18-8 business transacted **-** 1888 No Claims will be admitted after the Goods returned in full. Ask Chemists for Rowlands' Articles, of DRAFTS granted on London and the chief Messrs. Afand, Afandot, Lidin, Marrache, and Share Lists will close on |4th Novembers188 have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining | 20. Hatton Garden, London. AUTUMN & WINTER SEASONS commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan.
T. JACKSON, Russan. For Kobe. - From Marseilles - Mr. and after the 29th instant will be subject to reut. Wholesale and Retail Agents for China: NEW GOODS DIRECTORS: All Claims against the steamer must be pre-Mrs. Perard and infant. For Yokohama.—From A. S. WATSON & Co., Marseilles.-Mr. and Mrs. Dittrich, Messrs. Y. WILLIAM ADAMSON, Eso., IN ALL DEPARTMENTS. sented to the undersigned on or before the 29th | 1139| Shanghai. Chief Manager. instant, or they will not be recognised. Wada, S. Fuhuzawa, and F. Fukuzawa. From Messis. Gilfillan, Wood & Co.) NOW PUBLISHING. Hongkong, 4th September, 1888. Singapore. - Messrs. Baird, Pistamis, Hinnebery, LATEST NOVELTIES No Fire Insurance has been effected. ANDREW CURRIE, Esq., NEW & ORIGINAL SERIAL STORY Askimales, Vice, and Kohler. From Saigon.-NOTICE. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by Ex. English, French, and Greman Mails, (The Borneo Company, Limited.) Mr. Jeampierre. ADAMSON, BELL & Co., FROM THE PEN OF HAGGARD, have proved their Debts respectively, or the majority in value of the said Creditors. NOW OPENING OUT INCLES OF THE HONGKONG WILLIAM DOUGAL, Esq., RIDER Hongkong, 22nd October, 1888. (Manager, CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA. SAVINGS BANK. REPORTS. NEW AUTUMN AND WINTER DRESS Author of "King Solomon's Mines," "Allan are hereby directed to choose at such Meeting AUSTRALIA AND CRINA.) OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. G00DS:--The British steamer Fokien, from Tamsui an Assignee or Assignees of the Bankrupt's Quartermain," "She," "Jess," &c., &c I.—The business of the above Bank will HON'BLE J. FINLAYSON, M.L.C. 23rd October, and Amoy 25th, reports from SILKS, SATINS, PLUSHES, JERSEYS Estate and Effects to be called the Creditor's enducted by the Hongkong and Shanghai The Proprietors of this Journal are pleased to CONSIGNEES per Company's Steamer Tameni to Amoy experienced strong N.E. winds SILK CASHMERE, and LISLE THREAD (Messra Boustead A Co.) announce that they have, at a very considerable Banking Corporation, on their premises in Assignee or Assignees. HOSIERY, SUNSHADES, UMBRELLAS, and high sea; from Amoy to port moderate Hongkong. Business hours on week-days, 10-J. P. WADE GARD'NER, Esq., outlay, made arrangements with H. RIDER Dated the 25th day of October 1888. N.W. winds and fine weather. Steamers in TOWELS, BLANKETS, FLANNELS are hereby notified that the Cargo is being dis (Manager, Honghone & Shanghai, Banking HAGGARD-the Author of the most popular and to 3; Saturdays, 10 to L charged into Craft, and/or landed at the Go-Amoy-Yehsin, China, Spindrift, and Woosung. LONG CLOTHS, TABLE TANE, CRAWFORD 2.—Sums less than \$1, or more than \$250 at dramatic Stories of our day-by which their CORPORATION). downs of the Undersigned; in both cases it will JAPANESE EMBROIDERY one time will not be received. No depositor Readers will enjoy precedent perusal of a new GOODS, SCREENS, TEA and COFFEE lie at Consignees' risk. The Cargo will-be ready HON. H. W. GEIGER, M.L. '.. for delivery from Craft or Godown on and after and unpublished manuscript Story from his pen. SHANGHAI SHIPPING. may deposit more than \$2,500 in any one year. (Agont, Peninsular and Oriental Steam SETS, ELECTRO-PLATED WARE, TRA-ARE NOW SHEWING THEIR 3.-Depositors in the Savings Bank having October-VELLING TRUNKS, STATIONERY, &c. the 21st inst.

Goods undelivered after the 28th instant, NAVIGATION Co). II, Kiangteen, Chinese str., from Ningpo. \$100 or more at their credit may at their option The Title of RIDER HAGGARDS transfer the same to the Hongkong and Shang-W. E. HOOP! R. Esq. 11. Ngankin, British str., from Hankow. NEW STOCK OF New Story is will be Ethiect to Rent. All damaged Goods hai Banking Corporation on fixed deposit for COLONEL QUARITCH, V.C. (Messrs. A. L. Johnston & Co.) 11. Satsuma. British bark, from Kelang. must be left in the Godowns where they will be 12 months at 5 per cent. per annum interest. JUST LANDED. And the Opening Chapters appeared in 11. Kaisow. British str., from London, O. MUHRY, Esq., examined at 11 A.M. 27th inst FENDERS, THE "HONGKONG DAILY PRESS" 11. August, Norw. str., from Nagasaki 4.-Interest at the rate of 31 per cent. per A Splendid Variety of SUITINGS and (Messrs. BEHN, MEYER & Co.) BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. annum will be allowed to Depositors on their OF SATURDAY, 21st JULY. 12, Ichang, British str., from Ningpo. TROUSERINGS, the Largest, Choicest, and Hongkong, 22nd October, 1888 THOS, SCOTT, Esq., FIRE IRONS. daily balances. Cass, Chinese str., from Tientsin. most Fashionable STOCK ever imported to 5.—Each Depositor will be supplied gratis TO CONSIGNEESOF OP I I ONAL CARGO In this dramatic work, the author of "She" (Messrs. GUTHRIE & Co.) Chefoo, British str., from Swatow. EX. O. S. S. CO.'S S. S. " PALAMED," with a Pass-Book, which must be presented with makes a new departure. Instead of placing his 12, Choy Sang, British str., from Hongkong, Hongkong. FIRE DOGS. TH. SOHST, Esq., characters in lands remote from civilization and each payment or withdrawal. Depositors must FROM LIVERPOOL. 12. Yangteze, German str., from Hongkong. (Mosses, Puttfarcken & Co.) HIPPING Orders must be obtained from the subjecting them to influences of the most renot make any entries themselves in their Passe 12. Fub Wo. British str., from Hankow. SADDLERY DEPARTMENT. C. STRINGER, Esq., markable and unprecedented nature, he has here 12, Kowshing, British str., from Tientsin. Books, but should send them to be written up DRAWING ROOM ASH PAN Undersigned not later than the 30th inst., (Messis, Paterson, Simons & Co.) PIGSKIN SADDLES (4 to 8 lbs.), BRI-12. Djemnah, French steamer, from Kobe. at least twice a year, about the beginning of written an English treasure story of the present forshipment per steamer "BELLEROPHON! day. The hero is a soldier in the British army, 12. Abyesinia, British str., from Vancouver. DLES and BITS. SADDLE CLOTHS. January and beginning of July. BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. 1964 a wearer of the Victoria Cross, who returns home 6.—Correspondence as to the business of the COAL VASES. 13. Sachalien, French str., from Hongkong. BUITS of CLOTHING, WHIPS, CURRY Hongkong, 24th October, 1888. Bank if marked On Hongkong Savings Bank | CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA, AUSfrom the recent operations in the Soudan, to 13, Isabel, Norw. bark, from New York. COMBS, BRUSHES and all STABLE Business is forwarded free by the various exchange the perils and privations of warfare in OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. TRALIA AND CHINA: 13, Kinng-teen, Chinese str., from Ningpo. FIRE SCREENS. the desert for a series of sensational incidents REQUISITES. 13, Hae-chang, Chinese etr , from Wenchow. British Post Offices in Hongkong and China HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING 7.-Withdrawals may be made on demand, CONSIGNEES per Company's Steamer among pleasant English landscapes, and the 13, Kung-pai, Chinese str., from Tientsin. NOTICE TO RIFLE AND ROWING CORPORATION. but the personal attendance of the Depositor or " PALAMED." NURSERY GANARDS. 13. Kiang-kwan, Chinese str., from Hankow. ultimate reward of an ancestral home brightened are hereby notified that the Cargo is being dis- by the beauty of a comely bride. The plot is his duly appointed Agent, and the production of 13. W. C. de Vries, British str., from Hankow Stock of HANDSOME Solicitoes: his Pass Book are necessary. An immense charged into Craft, and or landed at the Go- well contrived, there is strong individualisation 13, Yoritomo-maru, Jap. str., from Kuchinotzu TROPHIES suitable for the above. downs of the Undersigned; in both cases it will in the characters; the scenes are depicted with For the Hongroug and Shanghai Bank- Messes DONALDSON & BURKINSHAW 14, Ichang, British str., from Ningpo. lie at Consignees' risk. The Cargo will be ready clearness and a warm glow of local colour, while ING CORPORATION. 14. Taku, British steamer, from Tientsin. Now on View at Exceptionally Low Hongkong, 27th October, 1888. for delivery from Craftor Godowns on and after the main incidents are worked out with power, T. JACKSON. SECRETARY (pro tem.) 14, Pekin, British str., from Hankow. PRICES. Not even in "King Solomon's Mines," when en-Chief Manager. 14. Fu-yew, Chinese str., from Foochow. JAMES KERR, Esq. FOR MANILA. THE HALL & HOLTZ CO-OPERATIVE 15, Chungking, British str., from Tientsin. Hongkong, 1st September, 1887. Goods undelivered after the 1st proximo, trance is effected into the mysterious chamber, THE Steamship will be subject to Rent. All damaged Goods is the thrill greater than when Colonel Quaritch COMPANY, LIMITED. 15, Hae-an, Chinese steamer, from Tientsin. HEAD OFFICE: must be left in the Godowns where they will be unearthe the treasure, hidden away from Crom-THE HONGKONG HIGH LEVEL 15, Chintung, Chinese str., from Amoy. Hongkong, 26th October, 1888. "DEEPDALE." examined at 11 A.M. Blat inst. SINGAPORE. TRAMWAYS COMPANY, well's soldiers, the recovery of which saves an 15, Kiang-yu, Chinese str., from Hankow. MARINBURK BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. LIMITED. ancient house from ruiu. 15, Cito, German steamer, from Newchwang. WEDNESDAY, the 31st instant. MANUFACTURER . This Company has been formed for the 15. Kutsang, British str., from Hongkong: Hongkong, 26th June, 1888. Hongkong, 24th October, 1888. OF FIRST CLASS purpose of supplying the want which has been TIME TABLE. 15. Yiksang, British str., from Newchwang. QUARE BOTTLE WHISKY STEAMSHIP "ANADYR." FURNITURE AND UPHOLSTERY, The CARS RUN as follows between Sr. felt for many years past, of a well-planned DEPARTURES. October — NAPIER JOHNSTONE'S BLEND ____ COLLEGE CHAMBERS. 11. Fushun, Chinese str., for Hongkong. and well-fitted modern botel of sufficient dimen-TOHN'S PLACE and VICTORIA GAP:---. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES Hongkong, 27th October, 1888. 8 to 10 A.M. every quarter of an hour. Supero Quality, sions to accommodate the large and constantly 11, Has ting, Chinese str., for Chefoo. DEAWING ROOM AND DINING ROOM SURES, CUTLER, PALMER & Co.'s SELECTION. MARITIMES. growing passenger traffic through Singapore, as 12 to 2 P.M. every half hour. 11. Kaifong, British str. for Newshwang. LOUNGES AND EASY CHAIRS. STEAM FOR well as supply the great demand for temporary 4 to 8 p.m. every quarter of an hour. 11, Nanzing, British str., for Foochow. NOTICE. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., SINGAPORE. PENANG. SIDEBOARDS, WARDROBES, or permanent residential chambers. 11. Newchwang, British str., for Chetoo. SUNDAYS. DEESSING TABLES AND MARBLE TOP WASH-Hongkong. Singapore is the chief town of the British /NONSIGNEES of Cargo from London CHURCH TRAM at 10.40 A.M. II, Poolohi, Chinese str., for Tientsin. STANDS, MANTEL AND CONSOLE GLASSES. Crown Colony of the Straits Settlements, and is and Havre, Ex S. S. "GUADALQUIa leading place of call and coaling port on the VIR," Antwerp, ExS. S. "ROMANUL," and a past 12 to a past one every quarter of an hour, 11. Wha-on, British str., for Hankow, MOUTH, AND LONDON; ADVERTISEMENTS. 11, Yuen Wo, British str., for Hankow. SILK PLUSHESIN VARIOUS COLOURS. great steam lines of communication with the Bordeaux, Ex S. S. "EYRIAND DES VER-11, Kiang-teen, Chinese str., for Ningpo. TAPESTRIES IN LATEST DESIGNS. 4 to 8 P.M. every quarter of an hour. NOTICE. Far East. It is moreover the centre of an ex- GUES," and "MARIE," in connection with 11. Nierstein, German str., for Nagasaki. AUSTRALIA. tensive trade with India, China, the Dutch above Steamer, are hereby informed that their GREAT REDUCTION IN PRICES. Single Tickets are sold in the Cars; Five-11. Albany, British str., for Hongkong. 111 Cent Coupens and REDUCED TICKETS at the THE USUAL SERVICES in the GERMAN Indies, the Philippines, Siam and other coun- Goods, with the exception of Opium, Treasure, Hongkong, 26th April 1888. 12. Chi-yuen, Chinese str., for Amoy. 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decus and revolting character of the murders and the mystery with which they are HONGRONG, OCTOBER 27TH, 1888. carried out has created quite a panic in London. One point appears to; be pretty cor-THE announcement made by the Colonia tain, and that is that they are all being per-Secretary on Wednesday that it was intended petrated by the same hand. Several theories to fill up the post of Assistant Harbour to account for these crimes have been put "Master was received with some surprise. . I forward, but they all seem of too uncatural is notorious that there has hitherto never and unreal a character to be accepted. Rob. Value been any real work for the Assistant Harbour bery is certainly not the motive, as the vic-Master to do, and proof of the fact has been time are all of the very poorest of the class given over and over again by that officer's al. ways being available for any acting appoint. ment that might be vacant and itsneyer being deemed necessary to replace him on such ochat the murders were bring committed by ing idea may be acceptable: casions. If the Harbour Master was away the men who prey on these wretched women on leave, the Assistant was found quite with a view to striking terror into the whole able to discharge the duties of the two class and thus more easily and safely levyoffices; when the Assistant was away the ing blackmail. This might have been ac-Hurbour Master was ready and willing to do capted had one or two wemen only been all the work ; and Captain McEven, when he murdered, but when, as it does, every held the office, acted for a long period as nail brings news of vet snother barbarous Superintendent of the Gaol, and no locum murder, this solution hardly seems a probable tenens was appointed for him at the Harbour one. It has been suggested that the crimes Office, It was centrally understood that are the acts of a maniae, and their fiendish when Commander Rumser and ceeded Captain nature supports this theory, but, if the Thomserr as Harbour Master the appointmurderer be a maniac, from the impunity ment of Assistant Harlour Master would be with which he commits the crimes and the shalished, and in the interests of the colony iexterity with which he endes detection, it it is to be hoped the unoffi i. I members of is certain that there must be a good deal of Council will not consent to its continuance method in his madness. The medical eviif the only object is to provide a post for a dence at the inquests points to the fact that nominee of the Colonial Office, The Colonial the murders are being committed by some Secretary said it was not abought advisable to strike the vote out of the Estimates, beof anutomy, and the Coroner in one of the cause it was possible that the work of the department in connection with emigration were being committed for the purpose might shortly be considerably increased. This naturally drew forth the remark that a passed cadet would be a suitable officer for work of that description. The Colonial Secretary concurred, but said it was not yet settled how much of the work would have to be done by the Harbour Master and how much by the Registrar-General. The impression created by the hon, gentleman's remarks was that it was in contemplation to transfer the passing of emigrants from the Harbour Master's to the Registrar-General's department. If this intention be carried out there will be less work than ever for an Assistant Harbour Master. If, on the other hand, the work is still to be done by the Harbour Master's department, good. We think in a case so different from and an Assistant be deemed necessary on account of the projected changes, then a would do well to break through their rule man of local training and some knowledge and use every means, no motter at what of the language would be able to discharge the duties much more efficiently than a probable that no such series of murders, so stranger. But apart from the possible in frequent and horrible in their nature, has crease of work in connection with emigration taken place within the memory of living man, there is not the least necessity for an Assistwhile the fact that according to the evidence

will certainly not allay the feeling of panie Ir is satisfactory to be informed that the abuses in connection with emigration have attracted the Governor's attention and that TEE latest mail brings good news for the legislation on the subject is probable. The "moderate drinkers," At County Court Attorney-General, in his remarks at the meet- | judge in England has hid it down as his. ing of the Finance Committee of the Legis- opinion that beer is a pecessary. This relative Council on Wednesday, expressed some freshing and gratifying legal decision arose doubt whether there were any abuses. Being in a case where a brewery company sued a reminded of a book produced in evidence in | young gentleman bearing the appropriate best screened coal there being 27s. 6d. per ton, although defective in parts, is pleasing and nathe Supreme Court which showed that men name of Tiffin for the value of a cask of as against 11s. 6d. before the strike here com- tural, and the correct drawing of the face, alhad been actually sold, the bon, gentleman | beer supplied to him. Defendant pleaded said there was " something like that," what infancy and tirged that beer was not a heever that may mean, but builled not think cessary. His Honour, however, differed from his experience, that there was "any from him, and in giving judgment for extensive kidnapping in the real sense of the plaintiffs made use of the following rates could be given; the demand for steamer drawn and well painted. "Early Morning: Fust difficulty. As usual the havy rains have caused leaks properly, be said contrived to exist for many people being taken against their will." He yest, apposite remarks :- "I think I shall also said that in the cases he had looked bold this beer to be a necessary. It is not into "nothing was clearer than that the man like a thing that we can do without, and is present. We quote nominally to-day as follows: great portion of its snowy headpiece: "As the The expenses connected with the repairs to the roof had more or less formed an intention of used as part of our food, and from the ear-An intention " more or less form. liest times beer has been recognised as an ed" is what might be expected to be English beverage. Shakespears says of one shows by the evidence in most cases, be- of his characters, Bleasings on her, she brows cause the victims are not forgibly eagried off good beer." >>

ant Harbour Master, and to make such an ap-

pointment would be a waste of the public

funde.

We would remind our readers of Sener Vaentin's concert at the City Hall this evening. Peakites are reminded that the church tram only when they have been got nway from will start at 10.40 to-morrow morning instead their native place that force is used. There of 10.45 as before.

can be no doubt that forcible detention is The Agents (Messra Adamson, Bell & Co. practised in some of the emigration bouses, inform us that the steamer Deepdale, from Antworp, etc., left Haiphong yesterday morning that men are sent to personate the intended or this port. emigrants in the examination before the

The Mikado has appointed Mr. James Bowes, of the well-known firm of Messrs. J. I Bowes and Brothers to be honorary Consul for Japan at Liverpool.

on board the ship by tales of what the for-On Sunday morning, between 9 and 10.30 eigners will do in certain contingencies. o'clock, the steam launch carrying the Bethel flag will call alongside any vessel hoisting code Being in a strange place, possibly never havpenant C. to convey men ashore to II a.m. sering seen foreigners before, and being igvice at St. Peter's Seamen's Church, returning norant of the language, it is easy to under-

> the title of a new paper published in London by soon restored, and medical assistance was receive Saxon and Co. The same publishers have for- ed from the Russian gunbout Koreatz. The few of the photographs by the Club members warded us their "Everybody's Pocket Cyclo- wounded men are all in Tair way to recovery, that, if criticized in any thing like an impartial pedia," in which a large amount of information is compressed into very small space.

much or little according to the preconceived From Saigon we hear that, after a period of ideas of the persons using it. The number exceptionally heavy rains, a drought has set in and the rice crops, which a short time ago it of cases in which force of fraud is used in was thought would be ruined by the flooding of connection with emigration forms probably the fields, is threatened by the extreme dryness. The crop will be a poor one at the best. only a fractional percentage of the whole

It is very apparent the Japanese Government are not disposed to let the law prohibiting opium-smoking fall into desuetude, for the Kobs Yushin Nippo mentions that arather wellknown member of the Japanese community of aggregate. There has been for some time Kobe has just been sentenced to eighteen months' imprisonment with hard labour for " hitting the pipe."—Hiogo News.

abuses in connection with emigration, and ·His Excellency the Governor and the Count le Burdi, accompanied by the Surveyer-General ble we have no less an authority than Mr. Price, and their suites, paid a visit to the that of Captain Thomserr, the late Har-Pytam Waterworks yesterday afternoon, and were shown all through the workings of the bour Master, who, in his last report, says structure. Both His Excellency and his distinguished guest congratulated Mr. Price on the approaching completion of his great work.

adds that "if any emigrants leave here A Chinese follower of Izaak Walton, while pursuing his gentle avecation, sitting on the against their will it is entirely due to themedge of the railway pier, says the Port Darwin selves for not stating the truth when ques-Times, met with rather an unusual experience. tioned at the Harbour Office in the first for while dallying with his line, he aptly illustrated Dr. Johnson's definition of an angler, place, and again when questioned and medifor the "fish at one end," evidently a large one, 124 cally examined on board the ship by which jorked the "fool at the other" off the pier into they are to proceed." The ingenuity of the the water, giving the surprised Chinaman swim and a wash, whether he wanted it or not. crimps, however, is aufficiently active in some

cases to evade the examination by the Har-We have received the special autumn number of The Drapers' Record, a splendid production bour Master, and as co the examination on of English pertistic printing. The number i board ship, it is a medical examination, and said to cost over sixpence, but is issued at there is neither time nor opportunity to con- penny, the same as the ordinary numbers. Th duct such an investigation as would result in bulk of the contents consists of illustrated vertisements, but there is also a good deal reading matter interesting to the trade, and portrait and biographical sketch of Mr. Frank Hollins, of the well known Lancashire house of The Australian mail which arrived yester-Horrockses, Crewdson, & Co.

The Nagasaki Express of the 17th October says :- According to present arrangements the British fleet will begin to disperse after the rible tragedies which have occurred in the middle of the month. The Contance will remain at Yokohama, the Sapphire proceedto Singapore, the Leander to Hongkong, and So far all attempts to solve the mystery have the Heroine to Shanghai. The Admiral will proceed in the Alacrity to visit Chempleo and. proved useless, and the Police authorities ap-Port Arthur, and the Imperieuse, after a short stay at Yokohama, will proceed to floagkong to replace her condenser tubes, the Perpoise also proceeding to that port.

> The Band will play in the Public Gardens. to-morrow, the 28th inst., from 3.30 till 5 p.m. The following is the programme:-...... Gluck.

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"German Volkslied" "Rem. of Mendelscohn" Godfrey . "'Brautlieder'' The humour of the third piece-Selection

German Volkslied "-consists in the rendering of the variations of one of the simplest old of women known as "unfortunates." . It German airs in such a manner that the style was at first auggested, before the crimes he for which each great composer is celebrated reproduced in a quaint paredy within the limits came of such terribly frequent repetition, of a few bars. A short description of the lead-

Thems.—Old Song, "Kommt a Vogel geflogen. Variations in the style of— 1. J. S. Bach—Varying the simple air with learne counterpoint, closing it like an Organ Fugue. J. Hagan—A String Quartet.

3. Mezart—A Clarionet Solo. i. John Stranss—A Valse. 5. Verdi—An "Aria di Bravura." in the operatio etyle, with the oft repeated finale of Italian

5. Gounod—" Parody on the Gardon Scene in Faust." . R. Wagner—Parody on two motives from "Lohengrin" and "Tonnhaüser." Besthoven—A Violin Sonata (for three instru-

Mendels ohn-Imitation of the Notturno "Midsummer Night's Dream."
Brahms—Parody on "Hungarian Dances." Meyerbeer—Here the air is treated in the grand

heroic style. After an introduction by the Drums the grand scene, "The Blessing of the Daggers"

. A La Militairo. celings that stir up the passions and desires of their subject the scenery about Tytam, and our British stagers live, if anything, in a more all of these does Mr. Caldwell display the talents due to the Club incurred by him. perion who has a considerable knowledge intensified form in the breasts of their Chinese he possesses to the utmost advantage. Castle brethren. Last night, at about 7.30, the Mordart," and "The Brig o' Bilgownie " (copies) inquests gave it as his prinion that they whose name off the stage is Ah Sow, was un- lent little touches of English scenery, deniably drunk before the curtain rose at the of obtaining certain portions of the body driven to despair by the behaviour of the print pictures on exhibition. The subject, a very members, as proof of their shareholdership and for exhibition purposes. The fact that cipal actor in the caste. To make things worse, simple one, is treated with great care, and a very membership. certain portions were carried away by the the king definitely decided not to act at all, pretty and creditable sketch is the result. Miss unless he got his next month's salary in advance M. M. Holworthy has painted the same scene, murderer in one or two cases that have on the spot. On this determination becoming and has also produced a clever little picture. been investigated seems to lend colour to known a gentleman named Leunz A Hoy, this revolting idea. The police are of cast for the part of son of the "King of" etc., 45, and 82, and of these the former, "Morning this revolting idea. The police are of informed him that he never did anything Mists," is the best. It is a pretty combination course coming in for a great deal of censure for his money, but "yam," which is the native of ferns, trees, rocks, and hills, and forms a most on all sides, and the whole population lingo for "booze." Put out by this anything effective scene, painted as it evidently is by a appear to be on the point of converting washing basin, and threw it with all his force Rock," and "Evening, Cape D'Aguilar," though themselves into a body of amateur detectives, in the face of the speaker. It struck him on fair, have some grave defects, which rob them the responsibility of the manager. The City Council and several private persons | the temple, inflicting a fearful wound, and lay- of the merit that they undoubtedly possess. ing the bone bare. The unfortunate man had In these pictures, the sea colouring is both have effered large rewards for the discovery almost bled to death before he got to the Host orude and hard, and entirely nullifies the looks of the criminal, but the Government have pital; his injuries were immediately seen to, of the excessively artistic junks which form refused to do, so, on the ground that the however, and he will probably recover. His a part of the scenes. In his "Evening off Cape assailant was marched off to the Police Station in D'Aguilar," too, the sky is blotched and heavy, practice was discontinued some time ago as all his war paint, and one head that wears a but as this production is evidently a burried one it was found productive of more harm than crown lay very uneasy last night against the it would be better not to criticize it too severely. bars of a prison cell, while at the same time the In No. 48, "Land's End," Mr. Barff has scored a anxious audience at the Ko Shing, Theatre was | decided success, and, next to Mr. Caldwell's lot, we the usual class of crime the Government being appeared by the production of "The would be inclined to pisce it at the top of the pic-Fairy Water Lily," in lieu of the advertised per- tures exhibited, both on the points of execution formance. The high honour of pronouncing and effect. The rock work is finished with care, sentence on a monarch will fall to the lot of one and the colouring, both of that and the sea cost, to track down the murderer. It is of our local Magistrates this morning.

> Messrs. Dalgety & Company, Limited, in their | ling tittle pictures, which although not so likely monthly circular dated Newcastle, N.S.W., 1st to attract attention as many, are nevertheless September, say:—Business in oosl is now on painted exceedingly well. Her best is No. 6, tirely suspended; with only fourteen days' no- " hiness Houses," from a print, and in it the tice of their intention to cease work all the min- colours are numerous and well blended, two at-27th ultimo, and we anticipate work will not be hand in hand. resumed for at least two to three months; the Seven pictures from the brush of Miss De extent of this disaster will be more readily com- Jersey find places in the hall, her "Fort at of October, 1887. prehended when we state that upwards of £35,000 Kwan Chap, near Mucao," taking a high place paid fortnightly in miners' wages is suddenly on the list. The picture embraces perhaps more stopped; thirty intercolonial steamers are thrown variety of scene than any other in the exhibiout of employment, and their oraws discharged; tion, and its dull colouring, instead of lessening; 1,000 wharf labourers in Melbourne are thrown the general effect, only tends to make the picture during Mr. Darby's absence. The Committee notoriety, the authorities determined to test his idle, and a proportionate number in Sydney, ture more natural and artistic. Another from at present consists of the Honourable J. Bell-Irying abilities to the utmost, with the following Adelaide, and Newcastle, are also out of work; this lady, "Swatow junks at Stanley," is an Chairman; the Henourable A. P. MacEwen (absent), we have in port 60,000 tons of shipping that excellent piece of work, although in this the the Honourable B. Layton, and Messieurs W. H. Forgannot be leaded notil the strike it ended and order is hardly well enough developed.
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> H. Hoppins (absent), H. L. Dalrymple, H. N. cannot be loaded until the strike is ended, and colour is hardly well enough developed. 100.0 0 are listed to arrive within the next two Among Mrs. Conghtrie's paintings are two months. The collieries around Sydney are now that we must not page over without a word of reaping a very rich harvest, the selling price for | mention. Her most attractive one, "Phyllis," best acreened coal there being 27s. 6d. per ton, although defective in parts, is pleasing and native aix versues the woodwork of the small dom're over the size of ad ance, as the output from the Southern Col. louring, is still very creditable. A more artistic to these domes was provided, they had remained unlieries is not sufficient for intercolonial require- production is her "Harbour Scene," a very pretty touched during the previous searches made by the ar- retiring to rest, to awake with an appetite ments. Chartering operations are for the pre- little grouping of an every day scene in the chit cis. The domes have been thoroughly repaired, and trap doors have been made in the trap doors have been made in the versadah coilings, so sent at a standatill, although many orders are waters of the colony. coming to hand, and, in some instances, higher Two from Mr. H. H. Lightwood are eleverly domes will be accessible and can be inspected without cargoes for Java, Singapore. India, and the yama," once more brings the favourite mountain over the Ball-room and in the theatre, but the sine Philippines, continues, and these places must for sketchists before us, this time in a rather attract covering two of the main valley gutters having been

have their supplies from other directions for the tive garb, for Mr. Lightwood has rebbed it of a removed and sheet lead substituted it is hoped that bresent. We anote nominally to day a follows. -Sam Francisco, 22s.; San Diego or Wilming- Sun Went Down," is a charming little painting, and the annual search amounted in all to \$521.77. ton 23s.; Honolulu, 24s.; Tahiti, 20s.; Valparaiso | the sea and sky being depicted with great taste. (nominal); Manila, 17s.; Hongkong, 18s.; Amoy, The child in the foreground, however, detracts
16s.; Halphong, 18s.; Guayaquil, 26s.; Jave succeedant from the merit of the picture, al.
(stdam), 16s., (sail), 17s.; Singapore (steam), 18s.; Leough it cannot quite overpower the artistic ances by The Amateur Dramatic Cleb, The Chomb

resumed to-morrow at 10.30 a.m.

The servants charged on suspicion by Mr. J. that the action of the presecutor in charging Four studies in crayons "Hilda," "Madge, the whole of his servants was a very unwise one. "Muricl," and "Vera" are very fine, and he

saki Express was, on the 12th inst., the scene of a was thought would result in loss of life. From a lot of good work. what we can learn, the bootswain ordered one of the crew to do some particular work, but, in the extreme, and show genuine talent, although stead of complying, the man in question made | they are only rapid and unpolished pen an use of insulting language. The boatswain thereupon struck the man several blows with a This was at once a signal for a general attack increasing tendency of the members of the Club aporthe boatswain by the crew on deck. one of made use of a kulfe, and immediately of the Island and its surroundings. The American Humorist and Storyteller is jump overboard and swam ashore. Order was and the affair will be made the subject of a Consular enquiry in the course of a few days.

> CRICKET. HONGKONG CRICKET CLUB v. 58TH

REGIMENT This match was commenced on the Cricke Ground yesterday. The Club went first to the wickets, and when time was called, had put on 205 runs for 9 wickets. Scanlan's score standing at 48 (not out). The game will be continued at a.m. to-day. The following are the scores:-

THE HONGKONG CRICKET CLUE. A. de C. Sandan, not out....... 8. Smith, c Johnstone, b E. O. Smith..... T. B. Davies, e Huntsman b Johnstone....... Capt. Stenley, O. S. D.

HONGKONG SKETCHING AND ${\it CAMERA~OLUBS}.$

The first combined exhibition of the Hongkong Sketching and Camera Clubs was held in St. Andrew's Hall yesterday afternoon, when about two hundred paintings and photographs were grouped together for examination. The sketches were all round fair, and quite up to the verage of the exhibitions that have been held by the older Club. No. 1, "Morning," by Mr. A. Yorkney, the Secretary of the Club, first attracts | attention. The picture represents a river scene with nymphs bathing and the sun rising over the woods in the background. The general effect though, strangely enough, every portion of it ject, an entirely original one, is apread to far fine touches of river bank and bushes are com-This gentleman has eight pictures in the exhibition, and the best of a fair lot is undoubtedly his Tai Ma Shan, No. 32. This represents a scene Shan mountain," and is a faithful reproduction the higher peaks about the Colony. Portion of the balcony, which is included in the picture, is covored with native plants and flowers that go a good way towards making but the Secretary would write officially for perup a very creditable production. His others include several "rough sketches from the Peak," and although the hill scenery in some | nine y four. of these is far too pronounced, still in one or two this contributor has overcome the difficulty of copying downhill" very neatly.

No. 2 "Temple Grounds in Kyoto," by Mr. D. Caldwell, is one of the many excellent printings from this gentleman's brush that adorn the exhibition. His works, taken a't gether, stand out distinctly far above those of any other competitor. The best picture in the exhibition, and one that is worthy to take rank unong any display of paintings, is his "Native Stipping" No. 20, which production fully repays any time or trouble that. the artist has spent on it. Several large junks are depicted at anchor, and behind them, coming out of a film of mist, and transfusing the whole scene with vivid rays, is the rising artistic work of our colonists. In "Closing. Day," No. 83, Mr. Caldwell has again excelled | himself, the difficulties experienced by many artists in obtaining a true colouring for a setting sun through a mass of foliage, being overcome most successfully. "The Bay, Tytam," is a brautiful little sketch, and the picture sets | Play actors all the world over are comical peo- to be seen from the spot. There are also three le, and it would seem that the same impulses and other paintings from the same brush, having for "King of the Sea of the Thousand Golden Isles." | are also included in his list, and are both excel-No. 10 "A sketch in Amoy" by Miss Hol-Ko Shing Theatre, and the management were worthy, stands in a high place among the

Mr. L. C. Barff is responsible for Nos. 12, 44,

ground, is all that could be wished. Mrs. Cantlie has contributed some very ster-

The services at the Bethesda Chapel will be son, is a sketch worthy of great print a mon difficult subject has been dealt with with deal success, and no suspicion of theoretic appears in it As usual, Mrs. Wodehouse has excelled hersel H. Cox, with being concerned in the robbery of in her contributions, and they form quite a few his watch and chain on the 18th inst, were disture of the collection, being entirely different

charged yesterday, the Magistrate remarking in every way from the pictures around them. Portrait on Ivory" is a pleture on which great The American ship Raphael, says the Naga. pains have been expended most advantageously. No. 53 " An Old Cornish Cottage," by Mr. 1 row" amongst the sailors, which at one time it Pethybridge, is a pretty picture, in which he gets

Mr. J. S. Hazeland's "Scraps" are clever i pancil touches.

The above formed the best of a fairly good col 'thimble" slung on the end of a piece of rope. Lection, among which it was pleasing to note the to produce on canvas some of the many beauties The Camera Club have made a fairly good show all round, although there are in reality very

> manner, would hold any place at all. Th work of Messrs. Jargo, Brinkworth, C. R. Harrison, D. C. Neave, and W. Thompson, of the Singapore Photographic Club, forms by far the larger portion of this sid the exhibition, and their work is every instance praiseworthy, being clear and neither too dark nor too pale. Among the bromide prints, is a view in Happy Valley Mr. R. McK. Ross, which has been awarded an honourable mention by the examiners. Dr. Jordan, Mr. R. Hopkins, Mr. F. J. Lewis, and Mr. C. D. Wilkinson have also received honourable mention. "An Interior" by the latter gentleman is an excellent sample of the photographic

The exhibition will be open again to day until Dennison, Dennys, Ford, Edwards, Hirst, Kingsley, four o'clock, and His Excellency the Governor Orange, Perry, Powell, Stone, Chew Kam Mun, Lau and Tady Des Vœux have announced their in Ayau, Leong Hin, and Kwok Li Kwai. Mr. F. Matention of boing present, with their guests, the Count and Countes: d. Burdi. 3

HONGKONO FOOTBALL CLUB. The annual general meeting of members of the Hongkong Football Club was held in the

Gymnasium of the Victoria Recreation Club yesterday afternoon. There was a good attendance of Mambers, Major Tripp, President of the Club, occupying The CHAIRMAN proposed, and Mr. HIGGIN-

norman seconded, that the accounts be passed. Carried unanimously. It was also proposed by Mr STEWART LOCKHART and seconded by Lieut. METCALFE 58th Regiment, that in place of Lieut: Ed monds, R.E., and Dr. H. N. Thompson, A.M.S. absentfrom the colony, Mr. E. M. Blair, R.E. an Dr. Atkinson should be elected Committeemen

Mossra. Wallace and Gray, after being hanked for their services to the Club during the

past year, were re-elected respectively Hon. Secretary and Hon. Tressurer. The CHAIRMAN then, said that the accounts of the painting is anything but pleasing, al- attached showed a balance of \$31.58 to the credit of the Club on September 30th last. Ten matches had been played during the past season, five under is executed in an excellent manner. The sub- Rugby Union rules and five under Association. n Club matches four were lost under Rugby too great a width, and in consequence the really Union rules and one drawn, and under Assocation rules two were lost, one won and one drawn. The ground at the Race-course, pletely lost in the incongruous space between although he had been informed by the Surveyor General that it would be fit to play on in November, was still in a very bad state, and he was almost certain that they would not be able to indulge in any football on it till from a balcony "Stonecutter's and the Tai Mo the new year. This being the case, he had tried to find a ground on which the Club could play of the peculiar effect that the sun's rays have on | in the interval, and the only place at all suitable was that used by the Polo Club. Even this. however was only fit for the Association game. He had been privately informed that there would be no difficulty about their getting this ground,

> mission to play on it. Twelve new members were then elected, bring ing the number of members of the Club up t After a vote of thanks to the Chairman, the The Committee of the Club now: are Messrs

> Gray, H. F. Havllar, J. H. Stewart-Lockbart T. C. Metcalfe, 58th Regiment, Dr. Atkinson, and E. M. Blair, R.E.

RAID ON A OHINESE GAMBLING

On Thursday night Inspectors Stanton and Perry made a raid on a gambling club in Hollywood Road, and arrested seven men, who were brought up at the Police Court yesterday afternoon, before Mr. Pollock, charged with public gambling. They were defended by Mr. Caldsun. The tints have been caught exactly, the well. According to the evidence of the Police, junks are correct in every detail, and the they, accompanied by several informers, went to whole effect goes to make up a picture, than the house, where they found appearances of play which no better has certainly ever been pro- having been going on, and they arrested the deduced at any previous gathering together of the fendants. On the wall were hung copies of the rules in English and Chinose, the English ver-

sion being as follows :-Rules of the Tung On Clue. 1.—That this Clubis established as a resort of recreation, entertainment and conversation for members and visitors. 2.—That the shares of this Club shall be unout to the best advantage the fine view that is limited, and that if any one wish to become a

member of this Club he must be proposed by a member, and after he is admitted the same mem-3.—That a manager shall be elected to look after all the affairs of the Club, and that be must not transact any business without the con-

sent of the members 4.—That the manager shall keep a book containing all the names of the shareholders and

5.—That members can introduce visitors at all times, provided that the members introducing visitors be responsible for any violation of the regulations of the Club on the part of visitors. 6.—That the subscription of every member is \$1 per month for monthly expense, if any more, balance for furniture.

7.—That no one is allowed to borrow money from the Club. If any of the members have somewhat troubling about losns of money, it is

B.—That if any of the members or visitors wish to read the news and any history, or to enjoy themselves in games such as chess, dice, pards, dominoes, and all other games usually played in Chinese clubs, they can do so without asking permission from anybody in the Club, but if anything acts against the law of Hongkong, it is strictly forbidden.

9.—That a copy of these regulations be kept a the Club for reference. Hongkong, 1888., Secretaries, Tung On Club The case was remanded until Tuesday next, the orisoners being allowed bail, the first in \$200, the second \$50, and the others \$5 each.

THE CITY HALL.

to "chew, orunch, eat, and digest the bardest The following is the report to be submitted to the annual meeting of shareholders in and subof one medical man the injuries inflicted on ers in this district came out on strike on the tributas that very few amateurs allow to travel scribers to the City Hall, to be held on Monday pear for a few nights only, "as he was engaged nons by biting off the rough pieces!" A

The last annual meeting was held on the 26th day Mr. W. H. F. Daky, the Honorary Treasurer, hav-

ing left the colony in January last the Ronourable being confined in the prison of Liverpool, Bendyshe Layton was invited to a seat on the Committee and he kinkly consented to act as Honorary, Tree-Mody, and E. A. Solomon. STATE OF THE BUILDING. The building generally is in a satisfactory state, but one bottle of porter. These were discussed in

that when the building is examined in future the

THE THEATRE, ST. ANDREW'S HALL, AND BALL

wo Mar. Kohler, Silver's Surprise Party, Mr. Hamilton Mr. Wash Norton, and the French Opera Com-the rent collected amounting to \$2,182.75. The R. Room was utilised by the Tarantules and the Konsolidated Beatles, and for the Jubilee, Ruce, and St. George's Salls, and \$173.05 was obtained from this

bability one of the most notorious misers of the

last century. He also is entitled to what credit

may be derived from being both the son of a

miser and the father of a family of misers. John

Elwes, the Suffolk Squire, at one time M.P. for

Berkshire, is perhaps the only man of his class

whose meanness through life has brought him

fame after death. Unfortunately, however, his

imitators in other positions in life have not been

Do Lesseps is approaching his eighty-third

birthday. It is said that the "Duke of Suez,"

as he is playfully called, when he went up for

his backelor's degree in 1822 passed creditably

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FRIDAY, 26th October.

The number of readers who have visited the Library during the past year is 2,915, a larger number than recorded in previous years. Several additions have been made to the shelves during the twelve months, few or far between.—Morning Advertiser.

and files of the Times and Daily Telegraph have been presented by the Hongkong Club Committee. It is to be regretted, however, that owing to the great number of copies missing the files were too incomplete to justify the Committee in having them bound. Arrangements have now been made, which, it is believed, wil secure a regular supply of the Times in a more complete state, and if so a valuable addition will be made in the humanities, but failed miserably in geoto the newspaper files in the Library. During the graphy; he could not tell the cardinal points on year 446 volumes were bound in a cheap serviceable the map! to get all the unbound magazines and damaged volumes still in the Library bound in the same way.

The thanks of the Committee are again due to the proprietors of the local journals supplied free of cost, and they remark with satisfaction that a considerable

number of roaders are attracted to the Library both by the local papers and by The Illustrated London Nows, The Mail (London), The Tribune (Sydney), The Illustricte Zeitung, and The Fliegende Blatter that have been kindly supplied free during the past year. Since the new Ordinance providing for the preservation of books and pamphlets published in the colony the Committee have received from the local Government copies of several works printed in Hongkong, and trust that in time a useful addition will be made to the Library in this way.

The following are the names of the principal contributors to the Library Juring 1947-1833: Dr. J. C. Brown, Messrs. Neidhardt. Bruce Shepherd. Dennys, Doberck, Mossop, Munshi, and Wilcox, the publishers of the reports of the Norwegian North Atlantic Ex-pedition, the Imperial Federation League Journal, and the British North Bornso Herald.

During the year 111,903 Chinese and 7,148 Eur

peans visited this part of the building, and seve I additions were made to the gift collection. The tollowing is a list of the contributors: Dr. J. C. Thomson, Lieutenant H. C. Metcalfe, Messre. Bowdler, chade has also placed on loan a valuable collection of birds, spears, &c., made in the Maiay Peninsula.

The balance in the hands of the Honorary Treasurer on the 30th June, 1883, was \$3,150.01 as against \$5.840.17 in June, 1887. Out of this latter sum, however, as mentioned in lastreport, large disbursements were necessitated in order to pay for the iron columns. placed in the Library in 1837 and for the extensive repairs and redecoration that were then carried out.

Accounts Shewing Receipts and Expenditure ON SHANGHAL-PROM 18T JULY, 1837, TO 30TH JUNE, 1389. To balance in hands of Honorary Freasurer; on 30th June, 1687, as shown in last ... \$ 5,840.17 To rent of Theatre, St. Andrew's Hall, Ball To rent of Chamber of Commerce o subscriptions collected between 1st July, To interest on current account in Hougkong and Shanghai Bank To seventh dividend on claim against Ori-

By wages, &c., for 12 months \$ 3,347.00 By repairs, alterations, &c. 90.00 Museum and office expenses, printing, By insurance premia By balance in Honorary Treasurer's hands, on 30th June, 1888

THE AUSTRALIAN MAIL

J. BELL-IRVING, Chairman.

The C. N. Company's steamer Changsha arrived here yesterday from Australian ports via Iloile. The following telegrams are from the Port Darwin Times, and are dated from Adelaide 5th October, the London date being probably about two days earlier :--

A BISHOP ON COLONIAL MARRIAGE LAWS. Bishop Kennian, in speaking at the meeting of the Pan-Anglican Synod, at Lambath Palace, London, deployed the irreligious tendency of colonial law-making on the subjects of marriage

He further suggests that with the view of consolidating the Church, the Home and Colonial dioceses should be more closely linked, and that their interests should be made more mutual. MOYEY IN DEMAND.

The value of colonial stocks are considerably affected owing to the increasing domand for Owing to this demand, the Bink of England Punjou and Sunghie Dua Samuntan Mining has raised its rate of interest to five per cent. \cdot

STILL ANOTHER KORRIBLE MURDER. Another horrible murder has been committed in London, the mutilate t trunk of a woman having been found on the Thames embankment. near Whitehall. It is surmised that this murder was committed by the same person or persons who were concerned in the Whitechard and Birtley murder, which occurred during the THE AUSTRALIAN ORUISERS.

The new cruisers intended for the defence of the Australian colonies will probably be launched in April. 1889, and the fittings completed and ready for sea in September. The Admiralty have promised that if the representatives of the colonies are not satisfied with the

vessels that they will take them off their hands. THE MAORI FOOTBALLERS. The Maori footballers have defeated a strong

> CURIOSITIES OF HUMAN EXISTENCE.

In 1788 another individual, who claimed that

he was able to devour stone, was exhibited

at the shop of Mr. Hatch, trunkmaker in the

Strand ; and later still, a similar exhibition was

given in Craven street by a gentleman who beg-

ged his audience to bring stones for him to de-

vour, so that they might satisfy themselves of

the genuineness of the performance. In 1807

a professional knife swallower, died in Gay's

Hospital from the effects of a surfeit produced

by swallowing nine pocket knives; whilst 20

years previously a person styling himself

"Siderophagus" exhibited himself at the great

auction room in Piccatilly, where he professed

iron that could be found." This enterprising

individual, in the course of the advertisement

which he put forth, asserted that he could ap-

by the Cannon Company to smooth their cun-

few years later Charles Dowery, the famous

glutton, made his appearance upon the scene.

This man was a French prisoner of war and,

where his astonishing appetite soon gained him

results:—At four a.m. on the 17th Sept., 1799

he breakfasted on four pounds of raw dow's

udder; at 9.30 there were set before him five

pounds of raw beef, twelve tallow candles, and

of beef, one pound of candles, and three bottles

of porter were provided him, and all were con-

samed by six o'clock, when he was sent back to

his prison, where he danced and smoked before

entirely unaffected by the quantity of food he

had consumed. Mr. Thomas Wood, the ab-

stemious miller, flourished, or it might more

vears, upon a species of pudding made out of

a pint of skim milk and a pound of ship's

biscuits. This was his daily allowance of

nourishment, and he rarely tested a drop of

water or any other liquid. Beron D'Aguilar,

of Starvation Farm, Islangton, who died in 1802,

was a rich man, but a miser, and it was no un-

common thing, on visiting his premises to find

some of the cattle that had died of starvation

John Cummings, an American sailor, who was

Horam Marchand arrived in 1650 in London from Tours, and immediately set up as a pro-HONGKONU TEMPERATURE. fessional who could turn water into wine. This he endeayoured to accomplish by previously swallowing a certain highly-coloured and very (FROM MESSES, FALCORED & CO.'s REGISSER.) pangent drug, which, when diluted by the water. which he subsequently partock of, had the effect of imparting to the fluid a populiar look and flavour which somewhat resembled wine. M. archand was fortunate enough to accumulate a goodly sum of money before a quarrel with his accomplice. About the same period Francis Themometer-back, (Wet bulb) Rattalia was born. Ho was an Italian, and for l'hermometer-1 P.M. (Wet bulb) some time earned a fair income, in this country The mometer-tras (Wet bulb)..... by appearing as a stone-exter. He is said to Thermometer-Randman appearant transportation 14 have eaten as much as half a peck of pab-bles in a day, and is accredited with possessing the attraction of having been able to make them rattle in his stomach when swallowed.

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Howkong Observatory, 20th October, 1888.

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Hongkong, 17th August, 1887.

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IN HAMBURG. HE Undersigned, Agents of the above Company, are Prepared to ACCERT RISKS at Current Rates. PUSTAU & Co.,

FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, OF 1877

Arents. Hongkong, 18th January, 1884. GENERAL LIFE AND FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY

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UEEN FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY The Undersigned, Agents for the above Company, are prepared to A CEPT RISKS against FIRE at Current Rates. NORTON & Co.,

Hongkong 16th July, 1887. THE LONDON ASSURANCE INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER OF HIS MAJESTY KING GEORGE THE FIRST.

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MAILS EXPECTED.

THE INDIAN MAIL. The Indo-China steamer Taisang, with the THE AMERICAN MAIL.

THE ENGLISH MAIL. The P. & O. steamer Ravenna with the

pore on the 25th, and is due here on the 31s. THE CANADIAN MAILS. The Canadian Pacific steamer Belavia, with the Canadian mail, leaves Yokohama for this port via Shanghai on the 26th October. The steamer Duke of Westminster left Van-

STEAMERS EXPECTED. The P. & O. steamer Deccan, from Bombay left Singapore at 5 p.m. on the 21st and may be expected here on or about the 27th instant. The Glen Line steamer Glenshiel left Singa-

The Shire Line steamer Pembokeshire left Care of Office of this Paper. | Singapore on the 23rd, and is due here on the |1976 | 29th instant. The steamer Deepdale left Hairhong on the 26th, and is due here on the 29th instant.

> TOST-OFFICE, NOTICES. The authorised List of Mals issued in connection with this paper is the one published

> A MAIL WILL CLOSE. For Swatow and Shanghai.—Per Kutsang, today, the 27th inst., at 11.30 A.M. For Shanghai, -Per Glenorchy, to-day, the 27th inst. at 2.30 P.M. For Shanghal.—Per Kwangke, to-day, the 27th inst., at 3.30 P.M. For Shanghai -- Per Fooksang, to-day, the 27th inst., at 3.30 P.M.

and Melbourne.-Per Chazes, to-day, the 27th inst., at 5.00 P.M. For Swatow, Amoy, and Tamssi.—Per Fokien, to-day, the 27th inst., at 5.00 P.M. For Nagasaki, Kobe, and Yokohama.—Per Ancona, to-day, the 27th inst., at 5.00 P.M. For Bangkok .-- Per Cicero, on Monday, the

Agents, in conjunction with MESSES.

NOTICE.

Hongkong, 26th July, 1872.

WOO LINYUEN,

Indian mail, left Singapore on the 20th, and may be looked for here on or about the 27th instant. The O. & O. steamer Gaelic, with dates from San Francisco to the 29th September, left Yokohama on the 24th, and may be expected

English mail of the 28th September, left Singa-

twice each day in our Extra, which is always corrected to a much later hour that that given

For Singapore, Java, Port Darvin, Sydney,

[18 29th inst. at 4.30 F.M.

SIEMSSEN & Co.,

Hongkong, 30th March, 1888.

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pore on the 22nd, and is due here on the 28th

The N. G. I. steamer Bormida left Singapor on the 25th, and is due here on the 31st instant

COLONEL QUARITCH, V.C. A TALE OF COUNTRY LIFE. BY H. RIDER HAGGARD.

AUTHOR OF "King Solomon's Miner." 'Allan Quatermain," "Jess," "She." &c., &c.

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CHAPTER XXIX.

Edward Cossey Meets With an Accident This is not a very cheerful world at the best of inner, though no doubt we ought to pretend that I humanity at large is as happy as is represented to bo, in let us say the Christmas number of an illustrated paper. How well we can imagine the thoughtful inhabitant of this country in the year A.D. 7500 or thereabouts disinterring from the crumbling remains of a fireproof safe a Christmas number of the Illustrated London News or the Graphic The archaio letters would perhaps be unintelligible to him, but he would ock at the pictures with much the same interest that we regard bushmen's drawings or the primitive clay figures of Peru, and though hi of primitive men, how I, the child of light and

whole artistic seventy-sixth century soul would he revolted at the crudeness of the colouring. surely he would moralise thus: "Oh, happy race civilisation, envy you your long-forgotton days Here in these rude drawings, which in themselves reveal the extraordinary capacity for pleasure possessed by the early races, who could even look upon them and gather gratification from the sight, may we trace your joyous career from the cradle to the grave. Here is your figure as a balle, at whose appearance everybody seems delighted, even those of your race whose inheritance will be thereby diminished—and here a merry lad you revel in the school which those of our age find so wearisome; there grown more old von stand at the altar of a beautiful lost faith a faith that told of hope and beyond the grave, and by you stands your blushing bride. No hard fate, no considerations of means, no worldly-mindedness, come to snatch you from her arms as now they daily do. With her you spend your peaceful days, and here at last we see you old but surrounded by love and tender kindness, and almost looking forward to that grave which you believed would be but the gate of glory. (h, happy race of simple-minded men, what a commentary upon our fevered, avaricions, pleasure seeking age is this rude scroll of primitive and infantile art

- So will some unborn laudator temporis acti

sorrows have faded and are not And yet, though we do not put a record of them in our Christmas numbers, troubles are as troubles have been and will continually be, for, however happy the lot of individuals, it is not altogether a cheerful world in which we have been called to Live. At any rate so thought Harold Quaritch that night after the forewell scene with Ida m the church-yard, and so he continued to think for some time to come. A man's life is always more or less of a struggle; he is a swimmer upon an adverse sea, and to live at all he must keep his limbs in motion. If he grows faint-hearted or weary and no longer strives, for a little while he floats, and then at last, morally or physically, he vanishes. We struggle for our livelihoods, and for all that makes life worth living in the majerial sense, and not the less are we called upon to struggle with an army of spiritual wees and fears, which now we vanquish and now are vanquished by. Every man of refinement, and a good many women, will be able to recall periods in his or her existence when life has seemed not only valueless but hateful, when our small succosses, such as they are, dwindled away and vanished in the gulf of our many failures, when our hopes and aspirations faded like a little sunset cloud, and we were surrounded by black and lonely mental night, from which even the Star of Faith bad passed. Such a time had come to Harold Quaritch now. His days had not, on the whole been happy days; but he was a good and earnest man, with that touching faith in Providence which is given to some among us, and which had brought with it the reward of an ever thankful spirit. And then, out of the twilight of his contentment the hope of happiness had arisen like the Angel of the Dawn, and suddenly life became beautiful to him. And now it had passed: the woman whom he deeply loved, and who loved him back again, had gone from his reach and left him desolate—gone from his reach, not into the grave, but to the arms of

Our race is called upon to face many troubles. sickness, poverty, and death, but it is doubtful if Evil holds another arrow as sharp as that which pierced him now. He was no longer young it is true, and therefore did not feel that intense agony of disappointed passion, that sickening sense of utter loss which in such circumstances. sometimes settle on the groung. But if in youth we feel more sharply and with a keener sympathy. of the imagination, we have at least more strength to bear, and hope does not altogether die. we know that we shall live it down, or if we do not know it then, we do live it down. Very likely indeed there comes a time when we look back upon our sorrow and he or she who caused it with wonder, yes even with scorn and bitter laughter. But it is not so when the blow falls in later life. It may not burt so much the time, it may seem to have been struck with the bludgeon of Fate rather than with her keen dividing sword, but the effect is more lasting, and for the rest of our days we are numb and cold, bolt forward before you can fire." and Time has no salve to heal us.

another man.

These things Harold realised most clearly in the heavy days that followed that churchyard separation

He took his punishment like a brave man ina steadfast face, but this bold behaviour did believe I could shoot with it myself." not lessen its weight. He had promised not to go away till Ida was married and he would keep the promise, but in his heart he wondered how he would be able to bear the sight of her would it be to see her, to touch her hand, to hear the rustle of her dress and the music of her bethat all these things were not for him, that they other man?

On the day following that upon which Edward

Honham mortgages to Mr. Quest, the Colonel went out shooting. He had on the previous day become the possessor of a new hammerless gun by a well-known London maker, of which he stood in considerable need. He had treated himself to this cun when he came into his aunt's little fortune, but it was only just completed. The weapon was a beautiful one, and at any other time it would have filled his sportsman's heart with joy. Even as it was, when he nut it together and balanced it and took imaginary shots at blackbirds in the garden, for a little while he forgot his sorrows, for the sorrow must indeed be heavy which a new hammerless gun by such a maker cannot do something towards lightening. So on the next morning he took this gun and proceeded to the marshes by the river, where, he was credibly informed, several wisps of snipe had been seen, to attempt to shoot Belle Quest-like one transfixed, her lips apart, did that gun go off? He did not see it, and he some of them and put the new weapon to the test. her blue eyes opened wide, and the stamp of thanked God that he did not, for somehow we are to was on this same morning that Edward terror—or was it guilt?—upon her pallid face. not always as anxious to tring our fellow-creating. little. It was from Belle Quest, and ran thus:-"Dear Mr. Cossey,--Will you come over and see me this afternoon about three o'clock? I shall supect you, so I am sure you will not disappoint mo.—B.Q."

For a long while he hesitated what to do. Belle Quest was at the present juncture the very last person whom he wished to see. His nerves were shaken and he feared a scene, but on the other hand he did not know what danger might threaten him if he did not go. Quest had got his price, and he knew that he had nothing more to fear from him; but a jealous woman has no price, and if he did not humour her it might, he felt, be at a risk which he could not estimate. Also he was nervously auxious to give no further cause for gossip. A sudden outward and visible cessation of his intimacy with the Quests in a little country town like Boisi gham, where all his movements were known, might, he thought, give rise to surmises and suspicion. So, albeit with a faint heart, he determined to go.

Accordingly, at three o'clock precisely, he was shown into the drawing-room at the Oaks. Mrs. Quest was not there; indeed he waited for ten minutes before she came in. She was very pale, so pale that the blue veins on her forehead showed distinctly through her ivory skin, and there was into the house and laid him on the sofa. Then, a curious intensity about her manner which having despatched a servant to seek a second frightened him. She was very quiet also, und doctor in case the one already gone for was out, naturally so, indeed; but her quiet was of the they set to work to out the clothes from his neck ominous nature of the silence before the storm, and arm, and do what they could, and that was -a very bad accident." and when she spoke her words were keen, and little enough, towards stannching the bleeding. lick, and vivid.

It soon, however, became evident that Cossey had She did not shake hands with him, but sat only got the outside portion of the charge of quick, and vivid.

the table.

said, preaking the silence.

You are engaged to be married to her."

"I have it on a better authority." she an shot. swored. "I have it from Miss de la Molle her; By Jove," said Mr. Quest, "I think he is self. Now listen, Edward Cossey. When I let done for." Do you still intend to marry her?"

"You had it from Ida?" he said, disregard survival. ing her question; "then you must have spoken | "How did it happen? saked Mr. Quest, pre- very wrong. to Ida-you must have told her everything. I sently, as he mopped up the streaming blood suspected as much from her manner the other with a sponge. Then it is true," she broke in, coldly.

Edward, you are a coward and-a liar." enough at your hands and at those of your so- cident." pursed husband. I have had to pay him thirty thousand pounds, do you know that P But of the lawn carrying a box of instruments, and vestigated. Meanwhile one thing was certain, is a plan, and you will share the spoil.'

Ah!" she said, drawing a long treath. will not allow it."

She had been helding the fan before her face than death, if that be possible, but in her eyes after the discharge of the gun. there shone a light like the light of a flame.

"Why not?" she said quietly. "Why not?" he answered savagely. "I "Will he live?" asked Mr. Quest. wonder that you think it necessary to ask such a question, but as you do I will tell you why. Because Ids is the lady whom I am going to marry, and I do not choose that she should associate with a woman who is what you are.

"Ah !" she said again. "I understand now." At that moment a diversion occurred. The drawing room looked on to the garden and at the end of the garden was a door which opened on to another street. Through this door had come Colonel Quar-

itch; accompanied by Mr. Quest, the former with his gun under his arm. They had walked up the garden and were almost at the French window when Edward Cossey saw them. "' ontro! yourself." he said in a low voice, "here i speak in some dim century to be, when our Mr. Quest advanced and knocked at

window, which his wife opened. When he saw Edward Cossey he hesitated a little, and then nodded to him, while the Colonel came forward and placing his gun by the wall entered the room, shook hauds with Mrs. Quest, and bowed coldly to Edward Cossey: "I met the Colonel, Belle," said Mr. Quest

coming here with the benevolent intention of giving you some suipe, so I brought him up by the short way." "That is very kind of you, Colonel Quaritch, said she with a sweet smile (for she had the sweetest smile imaginable).

He looked at her. There was something about her face which attracted his attention, something "What are you looking at?" she asked "You," he said bluntly, for they were out of

hearing of the other two. "If I were postically minded I should say that you looked like the "Do I ?" she answered, bursting out laughing. Wells that is curious, because I feel like

Comedy herself." "There's something wrong with that woman." thought the colonel to himself as he extracted two couple of snipe from his capacious coat "I wonder what it is." Just then Mr. Quest and Edward Cossey passed out into the garden talking.

"Here are the snipe, Mrs. Quest," he said, I have had rather good luck. I killed four couple and missed two couple more; but then I ad a new gun, and one can never shoot so well with a new gun.

painters' for me. I like to put them in my riding bat, and I never can find them myself." "Very well." he answered, "but I must go into the garden to do it; there is not light caught him by the arm. enough here. It gets dark so soon now." window, and began to hunt for the pretty little you have seen lots of wounded men and know

a enipe's wing. "Is that the new gan, Colonel Quaritch?" said Mrs. Quest presently : what a beautiful one!"

cartridges out. moment he was not, Harold would have seen her am I saying?—I am off my head. Leave me stagger and catch at the wall for support. Then he would have seen an awful and malevolent light Ida. of sudden determination pass across her face. "All right," she said, "I know all about guns.

My father used to shoot and I always cleaned his gun." and she took the weapon up and began to examine the engraving on the looks. "What is this?" she said, pointing to a little slide above the locks on which the word "safe" his own affairs. If Cossey died he could not was engraved in gold letters.

"Oh, that's the safety bolt," he said. "When you see the wrod "safe," the locks are barred and the gun wont' go off. You have to push the know anything about ida's engagement to Ed-"So?" she said carelessly, and suiting the woman mean when she asked what he would do

action to the word. "Yes, so, but please be careful, the gun is world? Cossey must be the "only thing she "Yes, I'll be careful," she answered. "Well, it is a very protty gun, and so light that I Edward."

Quest going to the right across the lawn to pick and on various occasions come in contact with tracting one of the "painters" from a snipe. Quest knew it. against the wall of the house and fall to the reflected, that in nine cases out of ten the knowground. Instantly, whether by instinct or by ledge will excite strong feelings in her breast, place where Edward Cossey was standing, and amount almost to madness.

that his right arm hung helpless by his side. Even as he looked, he saw him put his uninjured had noticed something unusual about her, somehand to his head, and, without a word or a sound, thing unnatural and intense. Indeed he had, he sink down on the gravel path. For a second there was silence, and the blue Tragic Muse. Could it be that the look was the smoke from the gun hung heavily upon the look of a woman maddened by insult and jealousy, damp autumn air. In the midst of it stood who was meditating some fearful crime? How

saw that his face was streaming with blood and

All this he saw in a flash, and then ran to the tures to justice as we might be, especially when bleeding heap upon the gravel. He reached it almost simultaneously with Mr. Quest, and together they turned the body over

Presently, however, her trance left her and she ran up, flung herself upon her kness, and looked now a mass of blood. "He is dead," she wailed; "he is dead; and have killed him. Oh, Edward! Edward!"

Mr. Quest turned on her savagely; so savagel that one might almost have thought that he feared lest in her agony she should say something | jealousy and her wrongs upon her faithless lover? | A Stop that," he said, seizing her arm, "and

go for the doctor, for if he is not dead he will that it did not seem to him to be his business to soon bleed to death." With an effort she rose, put her hand to her forehead, and then ran like the wind down the garden and through the little door.

CHAPTER XXX.

HAROLD TAKES THE NEWS. Mr. Quest and Harold bore the bleeding man. whather he was senseless or dead they knew not. Whom we love? down and looked at him, slowly fanning herself No. 7, that is to say, that he had been atruck by did you frighteen me so !" with a painted ivory fun which she too; up from about a hundred pellets out of the three hun-

Then she spoke. "You told me the other killed. As it was, the point of the shoulder was day," she said, "that you were not engaged to riddled, and so to a somewhat smaller extent was be married to Ida de la Molle. It was not true, the back of his neck and the region of the right ear. One or two outside pellets had also struck "Who said so ?" he asked defiantly. "Quest, the head higher up, and the skin and muscles along the back were torn by the passage of the

you go, I made a condition, and that condition The colonel nodded. He had had some ex- they would be free to marry. So clearly did was that you should not marry Ida do la Molle, perience of shot wounds, and the present was not they read it that Ida actually interpreted it in of a nature to encourage hope of the patient's words. "It is wrong," answered the colonel, apparently

in no way surprised at her interpretation of his "It was an accident," greated the Colonel. thoughts, "but unfortunately human nature is "It "Your wife was looking at my new gun. I told human nature." true, and in addition to your other failings, her that it was loaded, and that she must be Then he went on to tell her all about it. Ida "What is it to you what I am or what I am next thing that I heard was the report. It is "she did it on purpose," which burst from her not?" he answered savagely. "What business all my cursed fault for leaving the cartridges in." in her astonishment. She felt, and he felt too, it of yours? You have no hold over me, and "Ah," said Mr. Quest. "Bhe always thought that the question as to how that gun went off

course you know it. No doubt the whole thing followed by Belle Quest; and in anotherminute Edward Cossey, whom she was engaged to, was was at work. He was a quick and skilful sur- shot and likely to die. geon, and having announced that the patient "And now look here," he went on. "Once was not dead, at once set to work to tie one of Squire came in from his walk, and to him also and for all, I will not be interfered with by you. the smaller arteries in the throat, which had been the story was told, and to judge from the exam engaged to marry Ida de la Molle, and pierced, and through which Edward Cossey was pression of his face he thought it a serious one whether you wish it or no I shall marry her: rapidly bleeding to death. By the time that this enough. If Edward Cossey died the mortgages And one more thing. I will not allow you to was done the other doctor, an older man, put in over the Honham property would as he thought associate with Ida. Do you understand me? I an appearance, and together they made a spid of course pass to his beir, who, unless he had made examination of the injuries.

Belle stood by holding a basin of water. She while he spoke. Now she lowered it and looked did not speak, and on her face was that same at him. Her face was paler than ever, paler fixed look of horror which Harold had observed expect. This was serious enough, and what was doctors whispered together for a few ascends.

> will depend upon the extent of the injuries, and whether or no they have extended to the spine. If he does live he will probably be paralysed to some extent, and he will certainly lose the hearing of the right ear."

When she heard this Belle sank down upon a phnir overwhelmed, and then the two doctors assisted by Harold, set to work to carry Edward Cossey into another room which had been rapidly prepared, leaving Mr. Quest alone with his wife. He came and stood in front of her and locked her in the face, and then laughed. "Upon my word," he said, "we men are bad

enough, but you women beat us in wickedness." "What do you mean?" she said, faintly. "I mean that you are a murderess, Belle," he said, solemnly. "And you are a bungler, too. You could not hold the gun straight." "I deny it," she said, "the gun went off-

"Yes," he said, "you are wise to make no admissions; they might be used in evidence against you. Let me counsel you to make no admissions. But now look here. I suppose that this man will have to lie in this house until he recovers or dies, and that you will help to nurse him. Well, and shortly afterwards he started, leaving his I will have none of your murderous work going | daughter and the colonel alone. on here. Do you hear me? You are not to!

" What do you take me for?" she asked, with | could bear even an affectionate significance, and some return of spirit; do you think I would in- yet every sentence they said carried a message jure a wounded man !" "I do not know." he answered, with a shrug, as a bee with honey. For they loved each other and as for what I take you for, I take you for | dearly, and love is a thing that cannot be cona woman whose passion has made her mad," and | cealed by lovers from each other. Like the air

he turned and left the room. When they had got Edward Cossey dead or those who breathe it necessary and real. alive—and he looked more like death than life up to the room prepared for him, the Colonel, her and hear her speak, and watch the changes seeing that he could be of no further use, left of her face, and the lamplight playing upon her him with a view of going at once to the Castle. heir, and it was happiness to her to know that room and there was Mrs. Quest, still sitting on most beautiful thing about deep affection is its the chair and gazing blankly before her. Pity- accompanying sense of perfect companionship ing her, he entered. "Come, obser up, Mrs. and rest, a sense that nothing else in this life Quest," he said kindly, "they hope that he will can give, and which, like a lifting cloud, reveals

"It is an awful accident, but I am almost as oulpablass you, for I left the cartridges in the "Oh, thank you," she said, " do pull out the gun. Anyhow, God's will be done." "God's will!" she said, looking up and then once more relapsed into silence. He turned to go, when suddenly she rose and

"Will he die?" she said almost fiercely. Accordingly he stepped out through the me what you think-not what the doctors sayfeathers which are to be found at the angle of better than they do. Tell me the truth." "I cannot say." he answered shaking his head.

Apparently she interpreted his answer as yes. At any rate she covered her face with her hands. "Be careful," he said, "I haven't taken the you had killed the only thing you loved in the "What would you do, Colonel Quarton, if If he had been looking at her, which at the whole world?" she asked presently. "Oh, what and go and tell Ida; it will be good news for

Accordingly having picked up his gan from

the spot where it had fallen from the hands of Mrs. Quest be started for the Castle. And then it was that for the first time there flashed upon his mind the extraordinary importance of this dreadful accident in its bearing upon marry Ida, that was clear. That was what Mrs. Quest must have meant when she said that it would be good news for Ida. But how did she ward Cossoy? And by Jove! what did the

if he had killed the only thing he loved in the loved," and now he thought of it, when she believed that he was dead she called him "Edward. Now, Harold Quaritoh was as simple and un-

Meanwhile Edward Cossey and Mr. Quest who suspicious a man as it would be easy to find, but were walking towards them had separated. Mr. he was no fool. He had moved about the world up a glove which had. dropped upon the grass, cases of this sort, as most other men have done. while Edward Cossey slowly sauntered towards He knew that when a woman, in a moment of them. When he was about nine paces off he, too, distress, calls a man by his Christian name it is loved voice, and to realise again and yet again halted and stooping alittle, looked abstractedly at because she is in the habit of thinking of him a white Japanese chrysanthemum which was still and speaking to him by that name. Not that had passed from him into the ownership of an- in bloom. Mrs. Quest turned as the colonel there was much in that by itself, but in public thought to put the gun back against the wall, she called him "Mr. Cossey." "Edward," clearly that they got the gennine article. Worthless imits-He would have offered to take it from her but at then was the "only thing she loved," and Ed. thousare sometimes palmed off by unprincipled vendors Cossey had been terrified into transferring the the moment both his hands were occupied in ex- ward was secretly engaged to Ida, and Mrs.

The next thing that he was aware of was a lond Now, when a man has the fortune, or rather is warranted to cure all discharges from the Urinary explosion, followed by an exclamation or rather the misfortune, to be the only thing a married a cry from Mrs. Quest. He dropped the snips woman ever loved, and when that married we Gravel and Pains in the Back. Guaranteed free from and looked up, just in time to see the gun, which man is aware of the fact of his devotion for and and Patent Medicine Vendors throughout the World. had leapt from her hands with the recoil, strike lengagement to somebody else, it is obtions, he Proprietors: THE LINCOLN ANDMIDLAND COUNTIES chance he never knew, he gianced towards the feelings indeed which in some natures would

When he had first seen Mrs. Quest that afternoon she and Cossey were alone together, and he for any length of time. remembered, told her that she looked like the Scupe, Made Dishes and Sauces. they happen to be young and lovely women. How did it go off? She understood guns; he could see Company. that from the way she handled it. Was it likely But still Belle stood there enveloped in the heavy that it exploded of itself, or owing to an accidental touch of the trigger? It was possible, but not likely. Still, such things had been known to attempted murder it was very eleverly managed, It strikes at the root of disease, improving Digestion because nobody could prove that it was not accidental. But could it be that that noft, besutiful, baby faced woman had on the spur of the moment taken advantage of his loaded gun to wreak her Well, the face is no mirror of the quality of the renowned for nearly a century, surpasses all others soul within, and it was possible. Further than

> By this time he was at the Castle. The Squire was out, but Ida was in, and he was shown into the drawing-room while the servant went to seek | are of rare and peculiar f agrance, and being registered her. Presently he heard her dress rustle upon the stairs, and the sound of it sent the blood to his heart, for where is the music that is more sweet than the rustling of the dress of the woman

She came in and shook hands with him, "Why, what is the matter P" she said, noticing the disturbed expression on his face. "Well," he said, "there has been an assident "Who?" she said. "Not my father?"

"No. no : Mr. Cossey. "Oh," ahe said, with a sigh of relief. "Wly The Colonel smiled grimly at this anconscious dred or so which would go to the ordinary ounce exhibition of the relative state of her affections. "You sent for me. Belle, and here I am," he and an eighth. Had be received the wholecharge What has happened to him P's acked Ide, this he must, at that distance, have been instantly lime with a sultable expression of concern

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"No, but I believe he will die." They looked at each other, and each read in the eyes of the other the thought which passed through their brain. If Edward Cossey died "You must not think that," she said, "it i

1 .- ALL COMERS. - First stage, distance 200 careful, and I thought she had put it down. The made no comment, that is after those first words no claim upon me. As it is I have suffered that she understood guns. It is a shooking so- was one which was best left unenquired into by them. No doubt if the man died there would be Just then one of the doctors came running up an inquest, and the whole matter would be in-

Presently while they were still talking the

5.—President's.—Di dance, 300 vards; No. of a will, which was not probable, would be his 6.—QUEER'S 1ST STAGE.—Distance, 200, 500, father, old Mr. Cossey, the banker, from whom Mr. do la Molle well know he had little mercy to still more serious was that all the bright pros-When the examination was finished the two pects in which he had for some days been basking of the re-establishment of his family upon a securer basis than it had occupied for generations would vanish like a vision. Now, he was not "We do not think it probable that he will. It more worldly-minded than other men, but he did 9.—LADIES.—Open to Lady members or their most fondly cherish the natural desire to see the family fortunes once more in the sacendant. AGGREGATES OPEN TO ALL COMERS. The projected marriage between his daughter 10.--VOLUNTEER AGGREGATE.--Restricted to and Edward Cossey would have mostfully brough t this about, and, however much he might in his secret heart distrust the man himself, and doubt whether the match was really acceptable to Ida. he could not view its collapse with indifference. While they were still talking the dressing-bell range, and Harold rose to go.

"Stop and dine, won't you, Quaritch f" said Harold hesitated and looked at Ida. She made no movement, but her eyes said "stay," and he sighed and yielded. Dinner was rather a melaucholy feast, for the Squire was preoccupied with his own thoughts, and Ida had not much to say, while, so far as the Colonel was concerned, the recollection of the tragedy which he had witnessed that afternoon, and of all the dreadful details with which it was accompanied, was not conducive to appetite.

As suon as dinner was over the Squire announced that he would walk into Boisingham to inquire how the wounded man was getting on,

They went into the drawing-room and talked complete at leisure what you have begun in about indifferent things. No word of love passed between them: no word, indeed, that with it and was as heavy with unuttered passion impalnable, it is like the air surrounding, and to

. It was happiness to him merely to sit beside On his way out he looked into the drawing. he was sitting there and watching. For the a glimpse of the white peaks of that heavenly peace that we cannot hope to tread in our stormy journey through the world. And so the evening wore away till at last they

neard the Equire's loud voice, talking to somebody outside. Presently he entered. " How is he?" asked Harold. " Will he live?" "They cannot say," was the answer. "But two great dectors have been telegraphed for from London, and will be down to-morrow.

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Competitors who have never won a First or Second prize at any previous prize meeting in Hongkong, and whose respective scores at 200 and 500 yards in the Queen's 1st Stage make up the highest aggregates; entrance fee, \$1 -HANDIGAP AGGREGATE. -For Competitors | Kiang-ping whose respective scores with monthly Challenge Recorder Cup points added) at 200 and 500 yards in the White Clund Quenn's First stage make up the highest aggregates; entrance fee, \$1. Two prizes. 3.—QUEEN'S AGGREGATES.—For Competitors whose respective acores in the "Queen's three stages" make up the highest aggregates; 1st Stages 200, 500, and 600 yards; 2nd Stages 500 and 600 yards; 3rd Stages 800, and 900 | hoy Sang yards; 1st Prize, Silver Cup, presented, value \$100. 9 Money prizes \$100, and in connection with the above 3 Extra Money Prizes for aggregates in 1st, 2nd, and 3rd A March Riple with 300 rounds of ammunition, presented for the competitor whose scores | Colombo in "AllComers" "President's" and "First" and Diamond ('ity July 10 F. Suss "Second stages" Queen's make up the highest | Falcou aggregate. Winner of Cup excluded trom SWEEP-STAKES at Running Man and Vanishing Target. Open to all comers during the meet-Pools at 200, 500 yards and saucer. Open to I.—To avoid delay, intending Competitors are strongly advised to enter and obtain tickets for Anton the various competitions before the date of the Haiphong 895 | Butterfield & Swire Brit. etr meetting. Application to be made to the Hon. 2,—Post entries will be accepted on the ground: Sights, paper or sliding wind-gauges on above, Persons wishing to join the H. R. Association IN PORT ON 23ED OCTOBER, 1888. should send their names, with that of proposer and ETEAMERS. seconder, to the Hon. Secretary not later than Ger. str | 1093 | Lloyd, R. T. P. & Co Brit. str | 1122 | Russell & Co 23 Harris Oot. Haiphong SAILING VESSELS. The above programme is subject to alteration 424 | Pasedag & Co F. Haver Programmes will be issued in the course of two Andreas Paseday & Co -280 H. Eggers $oldsymbol{J}$, $oldsymbol{h}$, $oldsymbol{\Lambda}$, $oldsymbol{\Lambda}$, $oldsymbol{\Lambda}$, $oldsymbol{\Lambda}$ 461 H. A. Petersen & Co Ger. bk 22 W. G. Roder A. SHELTON HOOPFR. Urient 397 H. A. Peterson & Co Neave Kibaton Sebastian Bach Oct. 15 Schueider Ger. bk 812 H. A. Petersen & Co HONGRONG CLUB. LIVERPOOL FOOCHOW. IN PORT ON 2014 OCTOBER, 1888. ENGLISH MANUFACTURED Brit, atr | 1589 | Butterfield & Swire H. Batt Rector Oct. SHANG-AI. DICHMOND CAVENDISH COMPANY. IN PORT ON 18TH OCTOBER, 1888. STEAMERS (RECLUSIVE OF RIVER CRAFT) Ger, atr : * tr : Siemesen & Co. R. Kohler Fr. str | 2.85 | Mesangeries Maritimes Oct. 12 Vagnier Diemeah Ook 18 K. f. I P. Mignard 654 Brit. atr Foima Jardine, Matheson & Co 'RICHMOND SMOKING MIXTURE." **140**3 Brit, str i Oot 18 fergusen Glenfin**ias** C. 4. S. N. Co Oct. 20 Morse 2400 Chi. str Kisn₂.ya C. M. S. N. Co Ohi. str | 1037 O t/ 16 Perkins Kinny yung 1508 C. M. S. N. Co Bright & Black PLUG CAVENDISI 16 Andrews Chi. atr Kwang-lee 1869 Melohèza v Co Ger. str -9 Supmer Neckar : 1269 Butterfield & Swire Brit. str 15 Thon paon PRICE LISTS ON APPLICATION. 1735 W. A. alicad Brit. str 16 Durdin Ningchow 295 .|Oct._18|`Place -Brit. atr Pao Hua ESTABLISHED A QUARTER OF A CENTURY. 11:8 Butterfield & Swire Brit. str ct. In Martin Shanghai 714 | Jardine, Matheson & Brit. str ! Oct. 16 Waddilore in Asusing 785 | C. M. S. N. Co Oct. 17 Andrew distant DIEYEL WOLFF & Co. Shin Sheng Brit. str | 2010 | Russe l & Co Oct. 10 Hall -pindrift Brit. etr 1588 Adamson. Bell & Co Brit. etr 669 McBain 16 Pearson Oct PIANOFORTE MANUFACTURERS. Strathleven W. C. de Vries Oct. 13 Scott 22 & 24, RUE ROCHECHOUART, PARIS. Jap. str: 1298 Nippon Yusen Kaishim Yokohama M. Oct. .16 Swain GRAND & UPRIGHT PIANOS on Sale BATLING VESSELS. at all the principal Musical Instrument Dealers. Nor. bk 1260 Pustan & Co Ostroudt 769 Manter 364 Morris & Co Brit, bk Molsen a ug. Strings and all metal parts in the Piano Oct. II Spenson Br.t. bk specially galvanized to resist damp, and prevent 225 | Butterfield & Swire Siam. bg rust; and for countries where there is a difficulty Siam Lange Bept. 24 in obtaining tuners, Wrestplanks in Steel are greatest guarantee for standing in tune, and TIENTSIN. IN PORT ON GIR OCTORER, 1888. Sole Agent for India and China, L. H. STRANGES. [24 4 RICHY, 66, RUE LAPAYETTE, PARIS. | 464 868 C. M. S. N. Co Tiedall Fangshun 190 | Fortes, Graham & Co cept. 2. Cammertin Fr. str Sing-obeng Jardine, Matheson & Co 608 Bradley 800 Butterfield & Swire 6 Valloga Brit, str Oot. Woohang GAILING VESSELS. Brit, bk ! 899 | Chinese Sept. 25 Mutro Sept. 24 | roal 810 Master Brit. bk Dorothy. 806 Brit, sch Chinece 8 pt. :6 ?homsen Brit, bk . 542 Bept. 26 Jen en

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